

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION**

IN RE NATIONAL PRESCRIPTION  
OPIATE LITIGATION

This document relates to:

*“Track One Cases”*

MDL No. 2804

Case No. 17-md-2804

Hon. Dan Aaron Polster

**[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING MALLINCKRODT’S  
MOTION FOR SEVERANCE OR A SEPARATE TRIAL**

Upon consideration of Defendant Mallinckrodt’s<sup>1</sup> Motion for Severance or a Separate Trial and any opposition thereto, it is hereby:

**ORDERED** that Defendant Mallinckrodt’s Motion for Severance or a Separate Trial is **GRANTED**.

The claims against Mallinckrodt will be severed pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 21. All claims against Mallinckrodt will be heard at a separate trial.

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Honorable Judge Dan A. Polster

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<sup>1</sup> Mallinckrodt LLC, SpecGx LLC, and Mallinckrodt plc.

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Brien T. O'Connor, hereby certify that the foregoing document was served via file transfer protocol to all counsel of record.

/s/ *Brien T. O'Connor*  
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